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# H. J. RES. 2

Proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States to permit persons who are not natural-born citizens of the United States, but who have been citizens of the United States for at least 20 years, to be eligible to hold the Office of President.

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IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

JANUARY 4, 2005

Mr. CONYERS (for himself and Mr. SHERMAN) introduced the following joint resolution; which was referred to the Committee on the Judiciary

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## JOINT RESOLUTION

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1       *Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives*  
2       *of the United States of America in Congress assembled*  
3       *(two-thirds of each House concurring therein),* That the fol-  
4       lowing article is proposed as an amendment to the Con-  
5       stitution of the United States:

1 “ARTICLE —  
2 “A person who has been a citizen of the United  
3 States for at least 20 years shall be eligible to hold the  
4 Office of President.”.

